

## Invest North Tyneside

## **ADVANCED MANUFACTURING**

NORTH TYNESIDE IS THE PERFECT LOCATION FOR ADVANCED MANUFACTURING BUSINESSES AND IS AT THE HEART OF AN ESTABLISHED HUB, WHICH HAS ALREADY ATTRACTED SOME OF THE BIGGEST MANUFACTURERS IN THE WORLD.

The borough is part of a region that boasts a highly skilled, productive workforce, with some of the lowest attrition rates in the country, as well as an abundance of suitable spaces that offer exceptional connectivity. It's easy to see why companies like Formica, SMD, Pryme Group, Siemens, Nissan, and Caterpillar have chosen to make North Tyneside and the wider North East their home.

## 126,000 strong workforce

in wider manufacturing



advanced manufacturing courses offered by the region's five universities and six colleges

£9.7 BILLION

advanced manufacturing exports in North East England in 2016



cost saving for employing an engineer in the region compared to the East and South East and one third cheaper than London



250 ACRES

of space available at low cost

development sites

cost saving on industrial property costs compared to Wales and West Midlands and more than one quarter cheaper than London



STEM students come through the region's universities every year



of students studying engineering or tech-related subjects – highest proportion of any UK region